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Examiner: C. Hwa Kim

For: THERMOPLASTIC POLYOLEFIN ELASTOMER STEERING WHEEL

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REQUEST

1. Applicant requests that the abandonment of this application be withdrawn.

PROMPTNESS OF THIS SUBMISSION

2. This information is being submitted promptly after applicant has learned of the abandonment on the basis of the Notice of Abandonment mailed by the PTO on May 2, 2007.

SUBMISSION

3. Submitted herewith are:

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A copy of the complete response previously filed.

STATEMENT

- 4. Attached hereto is a statement attesting to the timely mailing of the correspondence referred to above based on a showing believed to be satisfactory to the Commissioner.
- 5. Please proceed with further examination of this application on the basis of the attached copy of the papers originally filed.

REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ABANDONMENT

6. Acknowledgment of the active status of this application is respectfully requested.

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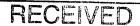
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